IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Tetsuya ITANI et al.

Serial No.: 09/775,272

Filed: February 7, 2001

For: VIDEO SIGNAL REPRODUCING APPARATUS

SUBMISSION OF ORIGINAL EXECUTED DECLARATION

Commissioner for Patents Box Missing Parts Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

The above-identified application was duly filed on February 7, 2001 without an executed Declaration. Accordingly, submitted herewith is a fully executed Declaration of the inventors. Attached is our check for \$130.00 to cover the payment of the fee in accordance with 37 CFR 1.16(e). Also attached is our check for \$40.00 to cover the payment for recording the executed Assignment. Also included in our check is the full filing fee for this application.

Entry of these documents should complete all of the filing Accordingly examination and allowance of the formalities. application in due course are respectfully soligited ACCEPT THIS AS

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All correspondence should be sent to applicants' representative at the address indicated below.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 16-0331. Two duplicate copies of this letter are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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